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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

GROUP 1700

OFFICIAL This is responsive to the Office Action dated March 28, 2002 (Paper No. 6).

Please amend the claims as follows:

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made."

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

(Amended) The air deodorizing device of Claim 3 wherein said air moving 4. member comprises a housing that has a top portion with an air inlet therein, and said filter cartridge sits on the top portion of the housing of said air moving member so that the one or more air outlets on the bottom portion of said cartridge at least partially in alignment with the air inlet on said air moving member.

10.

(Amended) A method for deodorizing air in a confined space according to Claim 9 wherein said confined space is inside a refrigerator.